[Mr. T. Kumara Pillai.]

(1) Surlakod-Mekkod road;
(2) Kulasekharam-Mekkod road;
(3) Mekkod-Padmanabhapuram road;
(4) Mekkod-Verkilampu road;
(5) Verkilampu-Azhakiyamandapam road; and
(6) Verkilampu-Elantayampalam road?

(*b*) Are the Government aware that the transport of timber, fuel, etc., from the forests in the Kalkulam taluk is mainly along the roads mentioned above?

(*c*) Has the Public Works Department informed the Government that an amount equal to that sanctioned for the maintenance of other roads would not be adequate for the maintenance of the roads mentioned above?

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): (*a*) The maintenance grants per mile for the roads mentioned by the member are as follows:

	Rs.
(1) Surlakod-Mekkod road ...	250
(2) Kulasekharam-Mekkod road ...	140
(3) Mekkod-Padmanabhapuram road ...	140
(4) Mekkod-Verkilampu road ...	100
(5) Verkilampu-Azhakiamandapam road...	100
(6) Verkilampu-Elantayampalam road ...	100

(*b*) Yes. The roads are subject to fairly heavy traffic.

(*c*) Yes; in regard to the Mekkod-Padmanabhapuram road.

Exhibits of the Agricultural Department at the Exhibition.

314. MR. TARIATU KUNJITOMMAN (*Muvattupuzha*): What were the new articles exhibited by the Agricultural Department in the Agricultural Section of the Trivandrum Exhibition, besides those that have long been in existence in this country and produced by the agriculturists here?

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): A statement* giving the required information is laid on the table.

Surgical Operations in the General Hospital.

315. MR. T. KUMARA PILLAI (*Eraniel* cum *Vilavankod*): (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state the number of major operations performed by Dr. K. Raman Tampi in the General Hospital from Makaram, 1097, to Makaram, 1098?

(*b*) What were the diseases in respect of which those operations were performed?

(*c*) How many of them were successful?

*Vide appendix II—page 1095.

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Appendix II.

***Vide* Answer to Question No. 314.**

Statement of Exhibits of the Agricultural Department.

I. Samples of chemically pure starch prepared out of—

1. Kachil.
2. Chena.
3. Nanakkizhangu.
4. Cherukizhangu.
5. Chempu.
6. Sweet potato.
7. Tapioca.
8. Arrow-root (white, cultivated).
9. Arrow-root (white, boiled).
10. Arrow-root (yellow, boiled).
11. Kananga.
12. Banana.
13. Talipot palm.
14. Jack fruit seed.
15. Mango seed.

II. Samples of refined oils.

1. Cocoanut.
2. Sesame.
3. Laurel (big).
4. Laurel (small).
5. Marotti.
6. Castor.
7. Odal.
8. Karinjotta.
9. Margosa
10. Iluppai.
11. Puvam.
12. Pungu.
13. Anjili.
14. Chennal.
15. Cashew-nut (shell ,
16. Lemon grass.
17. Fish.

III. Preserved food.

Jack fruit in syrup—bottled.
Soft Jack fruit jelly—bottled.
Banana in syrup—bottled.
Banana dried—tinned.
Pine-apple in syrup—bottled.
Do. Do.—tinned.
Cashew-nut in syrup.
Ginger in syrup.
Nutmeg in pickle.
Talipot palm flour.
Talipot palm pearls.
Cycas pearls (small)
Do. Do. (medium)
Tapioca pearls (medium).
Tapioca seed pearls.

IV. Fish Products.

1. Light-cured prawn in bottle
2. ,, ,, in tin.
3. Brown boot polish prepared out of fish stearine.

V. Fibres (നാരുകൾ).

ക. വെണ്ട
ഖ. പിലാശ് (ചമത)
ഗ. ഉന്നം
ഘ. മുരുത്തോൺ (അഴകിയ തു)
ങ. അതമ്പ്
ച. ആലം
ഛ. ചുവന്ന ഉപ്പം
ജ. പൂവരശ്
ഝ. അരണ
ഞ. കുറുന്തോട്ടി
ട. വെളുത്തഉപ്പം
ഠ. കൊട്ട
ഡ. മരുതി
ഢ. ആവി
ണ. കൈയ്യൺ
ത. രുദ്രാക്ഷമരം
ഥ. വലിയ ഉപ്പനപ്പം
ദ. ഇലവ്
ധ. കാട്ടുചരുത്തി
ന. ഉതി
പ. ചെമ്പരുത്തി

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